

REMARKS

Claims 25 and 36-41 remain in the application and have previously been identified as being allowed.

Claims 26-35 have been canceled.

The application now only includes claims 25 and 36-41, and is in *prima facie* condition for allowance. Reconsideration and allowance of claims 25 and 36-41 at an early date is requested.

Should the Examiner find the application to be other than in condition for allowance, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned at the local telephone number listed below to discuss any other changes deemed necessary in a telephone or personal interview.

A provisional petition is hereby made for any extension of time necessary for the continued pendency during the life of this application. Please charge any fees for such provisional petition and any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-2041 (Whitham, Curtis & Christofferson, P.C.).

Respectfully submitted,



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